

X. Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission – Dean Amhaus, Executive Director

The commission requests a supplement of \$34,270 GPR in 1997-98 from the Committee's appropriation under s. 20.865(4)(c), Wisconsin sesquicentennial commission appropriation supplement, to the appropriation under s. 20.525(1)(k), Wisconsin sesquicentennial commission, supplemental gifts and grants, to provide grants to commemorate the 150th anniversary of Wisconsin statehood. The commission also requests that it be allowed to provide a revised request for supplement on December 18, 1997 at the Committee's scheduled 13.10 meeting.

Governor's Recommendation

Approve request.

TOMMY G. THOMPSON
GOVERNOR
MARK D. BUGHER
SECRETARY



Mailing Address:
Post Office Box 7864
Madison, WI 53707-7864

Date: December 18, 1997

To: Members, Joint Committee on Finance

From: Mark D. Bugher, Secretary
Department of Administration

Subject: Section 13.10 Request from the Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission for Supplement Funds.

Request

The Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission requests approval of the transfer of \$34,270 supplement funds from the Committee's appropriation under s. 20.865(4)(c) to the commission's appropriation under s. 20.525(1)(k) upon receipt of documentation of the amounts of gifts and grants received by the commission.

Background

1996 Wisconsin Act 445 appropriated \$1,250,000 under the Joint Committee on Finance's supplemental appropriation, s. 20.865(4)(c) for the purpose of supporting the commission's general program operations. These funds may be released by the Committee on a dollar-for-dollar matching basis once the commission has provided documentation that it has received gift and grant monies. This supplement did not apply to the first \$250,000 received by the commission as gifts and grants.

Analysis

To date the Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission has deposited \$398,558 in their gifts and grants appropriation, s. 20.525(1)(k). These funds were received as gifts and grants from the private sector. The commission has received \$114,208 in supplement funds from the Committee's appropriation, s. 20.865(4)(c) to date. The commission is now eligible for the transfer of an additional \$34,350. The commission further requests that they be allowed to provide a more current report of actual deposits at the s. 13.10 meeting on December 18, 1997, and a corresponding larger transfer from the Committee's appropriation.

Recommendation

Approve the transfer of \$34,350 as of December 4, 1997.

Prepared by: Gail Riedasch
266-1038



December 10, 1997

The Hon. Brian Burke, Senate Co-Chair
Joint Committee on Finance
119 MLK, Jr. Blvd., Suite LL-2
Madison, Wisconsin

The Hon. John Gard, Assembly Co-Chair
Joint Committee on Finance
315-N State Capitol
Madison, Wisconsin

Dear Senator Burke and Representative Gard:

On November 20, 1997, the Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission requested a supplement of \$34,270 GPR in 1997-98 from the Committee's appropriation under s.20.865(4)(c), Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission appropriation supplement, to the appropriation under s.20.525(l)(k), Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission, supplemental gifts and grants, to provide grants to commemorate the 150th anniversary of Wisconsin statehood. Since my November 20, 1997 letter, the Commission has deposited an additional \$126,160.

As part of the language inserted in the FY 1997-1999 state budget, the Commission is now allowed to also recognize as part of the match cash gifts or grants that are pledges. The Sesquicentennial Commission would ask that it be given the opportunity to revise its November 20, 1997 letter to the Joint Committee on Finance wherein the Commission requests consideration under s.13.10 for formal recognition of funds received by the Commission.

The attached chart provides a breakdown of the total pledges that the Commission has received as of this date, the amount of funds that have been received and deposited from these pledges and the amount of funds that are still outstanding. Enclosed with this letter are letters from these businesses and organizations which document these pledges. Therefore, the Commission requests that the Joint Committee on Finance release an additional \$439,667.00 to recognize outstanding pledges that are due the Commission.

As a total, the Commission requests the release of \$600,097.

Sincerely,

Dean Amhaus
Executive Director

WISCONSIN SESQUICENTENNIAL COMMISSION

8 South Carroll Street + P.O. Box 1848 + Madison, Wisconsin 53701-1848 + Phone: (608) 264-7990 + Fax: (608) 264-7994
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Senator Burke and Representative Gard

December 10, 1997

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<u>Company</u>	<u>Pledge Amount</u>	<u>Funds Received</u>	<u>Pledge Amount Outstanding</u>
Credit Unions of Wisc.	250,000	83,000	167,000
Firststar	75,000	25,000	50,000
Ft. James Paper	15,000	5,000	10,000
General Casualty	30,000	10,000	20,000
Harley-Davidson	75,000	25,000	50,000
Jockey International	10,000	5,000	5,000
Johnson Controls	30,000	0	30,000
Marcus Corporation	15,000	5,000	10,000
Nelson Industries	5,000	0	5,000
Northwestern Mutual	30,000	10,000	20,000
Pizza Pit, Ltd.	1,000	0	1,000
Snap-On Tools	30,000	10,000	20,000
Twin Disc	10,000	5,000	5,000
Virchow, Krause & Co.	10,000	3,333	6,667
WI Counties Assn.	15,000	5,000	10,000
WI Power & Light	30,000	20,000	10,000
WI Public Service Corp.	30,000	10,000	20,000
Total	661,000	221,333	439,667

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LEAGUE & AFFILIATES

September 18, 1996

Mr. Amhaus
Executive Director
Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission
100 South Carroll St.
Madison, WI 53701-1848

Mr. Dean:

Enclosed is the first installment of \$83,500.00 toward our Trailblazer commitment.

We plan to make our payments on the following schedule:

December 1996	\$83,500.00
December 1997	\$83,500.00
December 1998	\$83,000.00

We'll be flexible on the 1998 payment since you may need the funds earlier in the year. Once we will be in touch, you can let us know whether an earlier payment will be needed.

Wish you and yours a joyous holiday season and a healthy and prosperous New Year!

Best regards,



Evan G. Bane, APR
Director
Marketing & Communications

Enclosure

R. Halvorsen-WCUL

Wisconsin Credit
Union League
League Services
Corporation
League Collection
Agency

N25 W23131 Paul Road
Pewaukee, Wisconsin
53072-5779
414.549.0200
800.242.0833
fax 414.549.7722

Firststar Corporation

Roger L. Fitzsimonds
Chairman and
Chief Executive Officer

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December 4, 1996

Dean Amhaus, Executive Director
Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission
P. O. Box 1848
Madison, WI 53701-1848

Dear Mr. Amhaus:

Firststar has agreed to provide sponsorship for the Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Project in the amount of \$75,000 in the amount of \$25,000 per year over a period of three years. If you haven't already received the first \$25,000 installment, you will be receiving it shortly. For the remaining two installments, please send an invoice each year to my attention. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Roger L. Fitzsimonds
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Fort Howard

Fort Howard Corporation • P.O. Box 19130 • Green Bay, WI 54307-9130 • 414-435-8821

December 12, 1996

Mr. Dean Amhaus
Executive Director
Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission
8 South Carroll Street
P. O. Box 1848
Madison, Wisconsin 53701-1848

Dear Mr. Amhaus:

It is the intent of Fort Howard Corporation to contribute \$15,000 to the Wisconsin History Foundation, Inc. for sponsorship of the Wisconsin Sesquicentennial at the "Badger" level. The \$15,000 grant will be paid in three equal installments beginning in 1996.

A check for the first \$5,000 installment is enclosed. Also enclosed is a contribution acknowledgment form. Please complete and return the form to Sue Zernicke at Fort Howard in the enclosed self-addressed, stamped envelope. Invoices for the remaining two installments should be sent to us in the third quarters of 1997 and 1998.

We are pleased to be a supporter of this important event for the State of Wisconsin. Please accept our best wishes for success.

Sincerely,

FORT HOWARD CORPORATION

Cheryl A. Thomson
Contribution Manager

Encs.

general casualty

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One General Drive
Sun Prairie, Wisconsin 53596
Telephone (608) 837-4440
Fax (608) 837-0583

General Casualty

Home Office

July 29, 1997

Mr. Dean Amhaus
Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission
P.O. Box 1848
Madison, WI 53701-1848

Re: Contribution

Dear Mr. Amhaus:

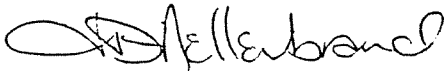
On behalf of General Casualty, it is my great pleasure to inform you that your contribution request for \$30,000.00 has been approved. This will be in the form of a three year pledge of \$10,000 payable for each of the three years.

As it takes time to process the requests, please allow at least two weeks for the arrival of the contribution check.

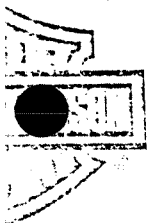
two weeks pass and a check has not been received by your organization, please contact me at (608) 825-5489.

Thank you for your kind attention.

Best Regards,



Julie D. Hellenbrand
Consumer Relations



Harley-Davidson Motor Company, 3700 West Juneau Ave., PO Box 653, Milwaukee, WI 53201 414/342-4680

January 30, 1997

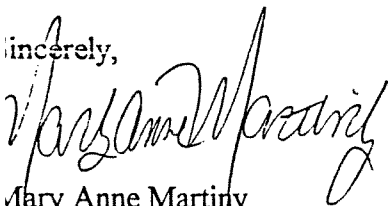
Mr. Dean Amhaus
Executive Director
Wisconsin History Foundation for
the WI Sesquicentennial Commission
P.O. Box 1848
S. Carroll Street
Madison, WI 53701-1848

Dear Mr. Amhaus:

The Harley-Davidson Foundation is pleased to support the Wisconsin History Foundation for the WI Sesquicentennial Commission in the amount of \$75,000 (payable over three years) for the sesquicentennial Celebration as a Voyageur Sponsor. A check will be coming under separate cover in a few weeks.

Before our next payment will be made, we would like an update on the celebration as you proceed with the final arrangements. In respect to partnering on some projects, please work with Lisa Berman directly on this matter.

Sincerely,



Mary Anne Martiny
Harley-Davidson Foundation Coordinator

cc: Lisa Berman



July 7, 1997

Mr. Dean Amhaus
Executive Director
Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission
P. O. Box 1848
Madison, WI 53701-1848

Dear Mr. Amhaus:

Jockey International will participate with a contribution of \$10,000 to be recognized as a Badger. At this time, a check for \$5,000 is enclosed. Another \$5,000 check will be sent to you in February 1998.

We wish you and all the participants a successful Sesquicentennial.

Sincerely,

E. R. Gill
Senior Vice President
Sales Administration

ERG:jr

5757 North Green Bay Avenue
Post Office Box 591
Milwaukee, WI 53201
414/228 2296

Johnson Controls Foundation

June 2, 1997

Mr. Dean Amhaus
Executive Director
Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission
P. O. Box 1848
Madison, WI 53701-1848

Dear Mr. Amhaus:

We are pleased to inform you that a contribution of \$30,000 was approved for the **Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission** for corporate sponsorship. The payment will be sent in December 1997.

Sincerely,
JOHNSON CONTROLS FOUNDATION



Denise M. Zutz
Secretary, Advisory Board

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March 11, 1996

Mr. Lee Sherman Dreyfus
Lee Sherman Dreyfus, Inc.
241 Wisconsin Avenue
P.O. Box 1776
Waukesha, WI 53187

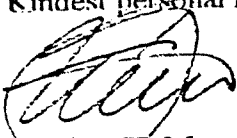
Dear Lee:

This confirms your telephone conversation with Charlie Parker, relative to your February 9 letter regarding the Wisconsin Sesquicentennial in 1996, 1997, and 1998. The Marcus Corporation Foundation is pleased to pledge \$5,000 in each of the three years for this important celebration.

Please have the Commission send us a payment reminder on December 1 of each of the three years involved.

We are happy to participate as a member of the Wisconsin Pioneer Project and to support the efforts of Governor Thompson's Sesquicentennial Commission.

Kindest personal regards,



Stephen H. Marcus
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

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NELSON

PROJECTS, INC.

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Wisconsin 53589-0600

March 21, 1997

Mr. Dean Amhaus, Executive Director
Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission
P. O. Box 1848
Madison, WI 53701-1848

Dear Dean:

NMC Projects, Inc., the foundation handling contributions for Nelson Industries, Inc., pledges \$5,000.00 to the Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission. In addition, we are committing up to \$2,000.00 in each of 10 communities to be used for local Sesquicentennial activities. These communities include: Neillsville, Black River Falls, Mineral Point, Viroqua, Muscoda, Montello, Blomington, Arcadia, Wautoma and Stoughton. Each community will be notified of our intentions to help fund their celebrations.

Sincerely,



Steve Slinde
President
NMC Projects, Inc.

cc: Ms. Pat Blankenburg
Wisconsin Manufacturers & Commerce
P. O. Box 352
Madison, WI 53701-0352



NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL LIFE FOUNDATION, INC.

October 23, 1996

Ms. Dee Ducklow
State Historical Society of Wisconsin
816 State Street
Madison, WI 53703

79885

Dear Ms. Ducklow:

On behalf of the Northwestern Mutual Life Foundation, I am pleased to send this contribution of \$10,000 to the Wisconsin History Foundation. In keeping with a commitment we made to you on June 26, 1996, this donation represents our first payment of a three-year commitment and is designated for planning and program support related to Wisconsin's Sesquicentennial. Our check is enclosed.

Because this is a multi-year donation, please submit a brief progress report to my office no later than March 15, 1997, for review by our Public Policy Committee.

Best wishes for continued success.

Sincerely,

James W. Ehrenstrom
Executive Vice President

Enclosure

cc: Michael Youngman



Pizza Pit, Ltd.

4253 Argosy Court Madison, Wisconsin 53714
FAX (608) 221-6771 PHONE (608) 221-6777

Oct. 27, 1997

Good morning, Dean,

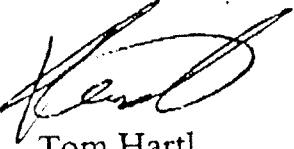
Hate to use FAX for this, but rushing to clear all items on desk – out of town till Nov. 10.

Pizza Pit will donate \$ 1,000. Cash to WSC, as well as utilize our boxtop flyers with statewide coverage of various aspects of the Sesquicentennial Celebration, the value of which might range from \$ 8,000 – \$ 12,000.

I'll try to put specific plan on your desk before end of Nov.

Any further questions that need immediate attention, please contact Jerry Voice.

Best Regards,



Tom Hartl

VP, Marketing & Advertising

on Incorporated

April 30, 1997

Mr. Dean Amhaus
Executive Director
Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission
Post Office Box 1848
Madison, WI 53701-1848

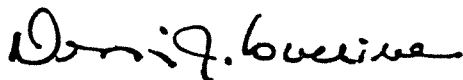
Fax Number: 608-264-7994

Dear Mr. Amhaus:

I am pleased to notify you that Snap-on has pledged support for the Wisconsin Sesquicentennial project by providing a sponsorship at the "Founder" level in the amount of \$30,000 payable over three years. Please notify myself when our first installment is due.

We are pleased to be able to support the Sesquicentennial project and look forward to 1998 as an exciting year for the great state of Wisconsin.

Sincerely,



Denis J. Loverine
Treasurer

DJL:jh

cc: M. Montemurro
R. Secor

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TWIN DISC

INCORPORATED

March 19, 1997

Governor Patrick J. Lucey
Wisconsin Sesquicentennial
100 South Carroll Street
PO Box 1848
Madison, WI 53701-1848

Dear Governor Lucey:

Thank you for your letter to Michael E. Batten requesting Twin Disc support for Wisconsin's 150 anniversary of statehood. I apologize for the long delay in responding. I am pleased to enclose a check in the amount of \$5,000 representing the 1st payment of our 2 year pledge. For federal income tax purposes, we are restricting this contribution for use solely in the United States.

Best wishes for success in your fund-raising efforts.

Very truly yours,

James O. Parrish
Vice President - Finance/Treasurer

dlb

4600 American Parkway • P.O. Box 7398 • Madison, WI 53707-7398
608/249-6622 • FAX 608/249-8532

Krause & Company, LLP
Public Accountants & Consultants

May 12, 1997

Mr. Dean Amhaus, Executive Director
Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission
P.O. Box 1848
Madison, WI 53701-1848


Dear Mr. Amhaus:

Enclosed is our completed sponsorship form for a \$10,000 pledge at the Badger level of sponsorship. We have scheduled our payments for June 15 of the next three years with the first payment of \$3,333 to be paid on June 15, 1997.

Your 1st District Representative, Judy Mann, did an excellent job representing the Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission and explaining the benefits of our participation in the program.

Sincerely,

NORBERT J. JOHNSON, KRAUSE & COMPANY, LLP



Norbert J. Johnson
Firm Managing Partner

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Wisconsin Counties Association

September 2, 1997

Dean Amhaus
8 South Carroll St.
P.O. Box 1848
Madison, WI 53701-1848

Dear Mr. Amhaus:

Dean

The Wisconsin Counties Association (WCA) has made a commitment to the celebration of Wisconsin's Sesquicentennial. As WCA's 1st Vice-President, I serve on the Sesquicentennial Commission and Ms. Allison Kujawa has assisted the commission's efforts on the Local/Community Committee. WCA has printed numerous articles about the Sesquicentennial in our monthly publication, *Wisconsin Counties*, and plans to continue our coverage of the Sesquicentennial throughout 1998.

In addition to WCA's other efforts, we would like to demonstrate our support for the Sesquicentennial through a donation of up to \$15,000. Enclosed please find our first payment in the amount of \$5,000.

It has been a pleasure working with you and your outstanding staff to promote Wisconsin's Sesquicentennial. If WCA can assist you in any way please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Jim

James Dwyer
WCA 1st Vice-President

100 River Place, Suite 101 ♦ Monona, Wisconsin 53716-4016
608/224-5330 ♦ 800/922-1993 ♦ Fax: 608/224-5325

Mark M. Rogacki, Executive Director
Darla M. Hium, Deputy Director

Mark D. O'Connell, Legislative Director
Lynda L. Bradstreet, Administrative Director

Wisconsin Power & Light

222 W Washington Ave
PO Box 192
Madison WI 53701-0192

608/252-3137
Fax 608/252-5059

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ERROLL B. DAVIS, JR.
President & CEO

March 14, 1996

Honorable Lee Sherman Dreyfus
Honorable Patrick J. Lucey
Wisconsin Sesquicentennial
Commission Co-Chairs
PO Box 45468
Madison, WI 53744-5468

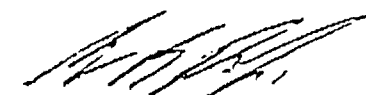
Dear Messrs. Dreyfus and Lucey:

On behalf of the Wisconsin Power & Light Foundation, I am pleased to inform both of you of our decision to join you as a member of the Wisconsin Pioneer Project. Our commitment will be \$10,000 over three years (\$10,000 per year) in support of Governor Thompson's Sesquicentennial Celebration initiative.

Please have Mr. Ingrassia contact Nino Amato, WPL Foundation President, 252-3115, as it pertains to membership in the Wisconsin Pioneer Project. I will also have Jo Ann Healy, Foundation Administrator, contact Mr. Ingrassia to follow up on the administrative details of our \$10,000 per year grant for 1996 - 1998.

We look forward to the WPL Foundation being a member in the Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Pioneer Project.

Regards,



Erroll B. Davis, Jr.
President and CEO

EBD:bjl

cc: Governor Tommy Thompson
Milton E. Neshek
Carol T. Toussaint
H. Nicholas Muller III
A. J. (Nino) Amato



Public Service

Wisconsin Public Service Corporation
(a subsidiary of WPS Resources Corporation)
2850 S. Ashland Avenue
P.O. Box 19002
Green Bay, WI 54307-9002

August 22, 1997

Mr. Dean Amhaus
Executive Director
Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission
P. O. Box 1848
Madison, WI 53701-1848

Dear Mr. Amhaus:

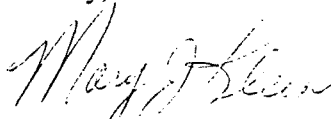
We are very pleased to enclose a check for \$10,000 from our Wisconsin Public Service Foundation to support the Wisconsin Sesquicentennial project.

A commitment of \$30,000 has been made to the state for this celebration, and checks in the amount of \$10,000 should reach you around this same time of the year in 1998 and again in 1999 to complete our commitment.

Should you require logos of our company or other support materials, please contact Ms. Debra Wendt at 920/433-1619.

We want to wish you much success in raising the funding you need for the project. It sounds like some very exciting plans are being formulated.

Sincerely,



Mary J. Klein
Contribution Committee Chairperson

cc Ms. Debra Wendt G3
Mr. Larry Weyers G6

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November 20, 1997

The Hon. Brian Burke, Senate Co-Chair
Joint Committee on Finance
119 MLK, Jr. Blvd., Suite LL-2
Madison, WI

The Hon. John Gard, Assembly Co-Chair
Joint Committee on Finance
315-N State Capitol
Madison, WI

According to 1995 Wisconsin Act 445, the Joint Finance Committee "...shall supplement, from the appropriation under s.20.865(4) (c), the appropriation to the Wisconsin sesquicentennial commission under s.20.525(l)(k) upon receipt of documentation of the amounts of gifts and grants received by the commission under s.20.245(4)(h). The supplement under this subsection shall equal \$1 for each dollar received by the commission as a gift or grant. This subsection does not apply to the first \$250,000 received by the commission as gifts or grants."

On March 27, 1997, based on Commission gifts and grants deposits of \$297,055.00 the Joint Committee on Finance approved releasing \$47,100.00 in state funds to the Commission. On June 20, 1997, based on additional Commission gifts and grants deposits of \$67,153.00 the Joint Committee on Finance approved releasing \$67,153.00 in state funds to the Commission. Since that date, the Commission has deposited an additional \$34,270.00 in gifts and grants funds into its account.

The Wisconsin Sesquicentennial Commission requests consideration under s.13.10 for formal recognition of the funds that it has received since June 20, 1997 and the release of \$34,270.00 in state funds. However, I would request that I be allowed to provide a more current report on the level of actual deposits to the Co-Chairs and the members of the Joint Committee on Finance at a date immediately prior to the s.13.10 meeting.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter. If you have any questions or need additional information, please call me at 264-7992.

Sincerely,

Dean Amhaus
Executive Director

cc: Dan Caucutt
Robert Lang

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